

# The Daily Courant.

Friday, June 4. 1703

London, June 3. To Day arriv'd the Mail from Holland of Friday last.

From the Hague Gazette, dated June 7.

Madrid, May 19.

**T**HE Diffidence this Court has of that of Portugal augments daily; and Differences frequently happen between the Inhabitants of the Frontiers of the 2 Kingdoms, which end in Skirmishes. The Portuguese having some time ago cut and carry'd away Wood for Ballisadoes not far from Badajos; The Governour of that Place could get no other Answer of the Portuguese Governours of the Neighbouring Parts to whom he complain'd of it than that it was done without their Order. Mean time the Disaffection of private Persons to the present Government appears more visibly every day than other, The Duke of Medina Celi has desir'd leave to retire from Court, The Duke de Velasco Constable of Castille, The Dukes of Pastrana and Montalto, are actually withdrawn from Court to their Country Seats. Even the Council of State have not forborn to express their resentment at seeing the Government administr'd according to the Maxims of France; and after a Consultation held by order of the King, on occasion of the above-mention'd Action of the Portuguese near Badajos, declar'd to him, that the Treaty with the Portuguese, and all other Affairs relating to them, being done without their Participation, the Persons through whose hands his Majesty was pleas'd to let those Affairs pass, are fittest to give Advice on such an Occasion. Further, the Necessity the King is under to levy Men, and prepare for War, having induc'd some Officers to list Men in the Provinces by Force, has not a little contributed to alienate the Affections of the People from him. The Inhabitants of the Kingdom of Arragon, make heavy Complaints at the Establishing of a Company to sell their Wooll to the French, who pay for it half Money half Goods; and declare they will be at Liberty to dispose of their Wooll as they think best themselves. From Cadiz they write, that there are no signs of Commerce left there, but the City is become a Garrison only for Soldiers: And add, that they carry on the Fortifications of the Coast from Gibraltar to la Rota, and that there are Men enough in those Parts for 6000 Horse and 12000 Foot to draw together in 24 Hours; but that there is no Money order'd for Paying them; which makes many of them desert, and others rob impuniblly, to get Subsistence.

From the Leiden Gazette, dated June 7.

They write from Venice of the 25th Ult. That Advice was come thither that the French are enter'd into the Territories of the Republick with a Detachment of 10000 Men; have kill'd several Soldiers, and burnt several Country Seats between Legnano and Capri, because the Inhabitants of those Parts offer'd to oppose them in their Design of carrying off Corn and other Provisions, but that General Staremberg has detach'd a like Number of Men,

with 6 Field pieces, to observe the Motions of the French.

From the Amsterdam Courant, dated June 9.

Amsterdam, June 8. We have Advice from Venice that the Republick are highly displeas'd with the coming of the French upon their Territories in the Veronese, the more because they have kill'd several Servants of Signor Donato, a Nobleman of Venice. The Design of the French in taking Post in the Veronese, is to cut off the Communication between the Venetians and the Imperialists, who receive most of their Provisions by the Po.

From the Harlem Courant, dated June 9.

Amsterdam, June 8. The last Letters from Geneva say, That on the 18th of May, between Alets and Uez, the Camifars had an Engagement with the King's Troops, in which 150 of the former and 800 of the latter were kill'd.

Moscow, April 18. They write from Slutenburg, (call'd Noteburg before the Muscovites took it) that the Governour of that Place had sent out a Detachm't of that Garrison, which cut off 2000 Swedes that were canton'd in the Neighbouring Country.

They write from Revel of the 18th Ult. That the Muscovites having storm'd Schanterny 4 times, were as often repuls'd and lost 5000 Men. But from Riga of the 24th 'tis advis'd, that they had News from Revel that Schanterny is taken. The same is confirm'd from Coningsberg, with this Addition, That the Muscovites are moving towards Nerva to besiege it.

The Swedes have invested Thorn. And, as the Letters from Dantzick say, have taken an advanc'd Fort, Sword in Hand, killing all the Saxons that defended it.

Liege, June 5. Yesterday 100 Waggon's were sent hence to Maestricht, to fetch Ammunition, &c. which 'tis generally believ'd will be employ'd against Huy. 10000 Men of the Allies lye at Galop between Aix la Chapelle and this City, who 'tis not doubted are to attack Huy on the other side of the River. A Party of the Independant Company garrison'd here, have brought in hither a Spanish Collonel with 11 Led Horses whom they took between Halle and Brussels.

From the Leiden Gazette, dated June 7.

From the Camp near Bergen op Zoom, June 4. On the 2d of this Month General Coehorn form'd this Camp, with the Troops he brought from the Lower Rhine; He has since been reinforce'd by some Troops drawn out of Bergen op Zoom, Breda, Bolduc and other Places; and more arrive daily. Two other Camps are form'd, one at Lillo, the other at Yssendyke. The Governour of Breda General Salis, is come to command this in the absence of General Coehorn, who went hence this Morning to Ter Thoelen; Major Freisheim commands that at Lillo; and some are of Opinion General Coehorn is going to take upon him the Command of that at Yssendyke, of which we shall be more certain in a little Time; 'Tis presum'd likewise that the Design of these Preparations is to make an Irruption into the Spanish Flanders, the rather because several hundred Peasants with a great Number of Waggon's and Horses

Horses are summon'd to get together in the Isle of Cazant. Mean time we learn that the Marques de Bedmar, Commander General of the Spanish Netherlands, has form'd a Camp of 7 Squadrons and 12 Battallions between St. Nicolas and Antwerp, to cover the Lines on that side.

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Bergen op Zoom, June 6. Deserters that are come from Antwerp to Lillo report, that that City expects to be besiege'd, and that the French would perwade the Spaniards to let them have the Guard of the Castle, which the Spaniards will by no means yield to; whereupon the French threaten to turn them out of it by Force. 'Tis said Lieutenant General Coehorn will go to Lillo to Morrow, and that some Artillery is order'd to be sent thither.

Hague, June 5. My Lord Cutts, not having yet receiv'd the Passports in order to his meeting the French Commissioners for making a Cartel for Exchanging Prisoners, will set out from hence for the Army the End of this Week, or the Beginning of the next. The last Convoy from Scotland, brought over Recruits for 6 Regiments of Scots.

Amsterdam, June 8. On the 6th all the Dutch Men of War that lay in the Maes, put to Sea. The same day Admiral Allemonde sail'd out of the Texel, having a S. S. W. Wind, with between 50 and 60 Ships, of which 30 are Men of War.

From the Camp at Thys, June 7. The 2 Armies continue in their former Camps, but we hear Prince Tilly, who was encamp'd with the Elector of Cologne's Troops at some distance from the French Army, is march'd into their Lines, with 6 Battallions of Foot and 4 Squadrons of Horse. My Lord Duke of Marlborough has been indispos'd 3 or 4 days, but is recover'd, and went abroad again yesterday.

Deale, June 2. Last Night came in hither Her Majesty's Ships the Essex and Montmouth, and under their Convoy the French East-India Ship taken by the Medway; and about 5 or 6 Sail from Lisbon.

AT the Theatre Royal in Drury-Lane, this present Friday being the Fourth of June, will be presented a new Comedy never acted before, call'd, *Love's Contrivance*, or, *Le Medecin malgre Luy*. And on Wednesday next the 9th of this instant June, will be presented a Play call'd *Anna Bullen*. The Part of Henry the 8th to be perform'd by Captain Griffin for his own Benefit. With several Entertainments of Singing and Danceing, which will be express'd in the Bills.

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